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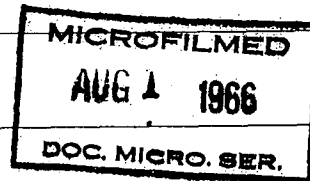
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STATION : Munich   REGISTRY NO. : MGH-826

OFFICER : AB-43   REPORT NO. : MSC/RIR/429

SOURCE : SLAVKO   REPORT DATE : 17 Feb 1947

SUB SOURCE: DAEDALUS/SARPEDON   INFO DATE : 1946-1947

EVALUATION: Source (by DAEDALUS) B   DATE INFO REC'D: January 47
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REFERENCE : MSC/RIR/421 (MGH-699); HSC/OPS/9 (MGH-642)
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SUBJECT : SLAVKO, Resident MGB Agent in Munich
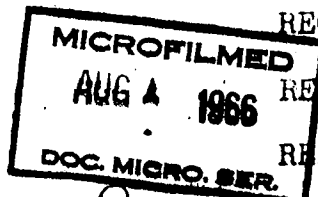
NOTE: SLAVKO was previously reported as an MGB agent sent to Munich for resident reporting. His real name is still unknown. The story of his selection and training for his mission in Germany was related by DAEDALUS to SARPEDON. He is the source of MSC/RIR/421, (MGH-699), MSC/RIR/430 (MGH-827), and MSC/RIR/431 (MGH-828).

1. SLAVKO, a boyhood friend of DAEDALUS of Ukrainian nationality, was captured by MVD troops in a fight in the vicinity of Drohobycz (S50/B09), where he was a member of the UPA partisan forces. Since he was severely wounded, he was immediately flown to a hospital in Kiev and kept there three months. At the end of that period, he was transferred to a small MGB prison in Kiev at Ulitsa Korolenka 33. Here he was not mistreated, but was repeatedly told how foolish it was for him to resist Soviet power. After several weeks in prison, he was released, given an apartment in Kiev, and reunited with his wife and child, who he had believed were dead.

2. He was, however, told to report daily to MGB headquarters in Kiev. In the MGB office, he was introduced to Lt. Gen. SAVCHENKO, MGB minister of the Ukrainian SSR, and to SAVCHENKO's assistant, a major general whose name SLAVKO does not recall. The officer in charge of SLAVKO's case was Lt. Col. LEVINETS, chief of INO, MGB Kiev.

    Field Comment: Additional information from Source on these personalities is contained in MSC-431 (MGH-828). Corroboration form another source, SAILOR, on Lt Gen SAVCHENKO is given in HSC-55 (MGH-835), and he is also listed in the State Department Biographical Division OCL No. 4003, Who's Who in the Soviet Government, as a member of the Council of Nationalities from Kharkovskii Okrug, Ukrainian SSR. Lt. Col. LEVINETS is described

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by Source in MSC-431 (MGH-828) and is mentioned by SAILOR in
HSC-57 (MGH-837) as deputy to the chief of the First Section
of the First Directorate, MGB Ukrainian SSR. For further
discussion, see MSC-431 (MGH-828)

3. Lt. Col. LEVINETS' operational plan for SLAVKO was that SLAVKO
was to go to the American Zone of Germany(with the reminder that his
wife and child would remain in Kiev), get in touch with his former
friends in UPA and OUN (with the injunction that in his new employment
they were to be considered only "former" friends), determine the con-
nections they and their organizations had with the Americans, offer his
services to the Americans, and propose the establishment of an intel-
ligence net reaching from Germany into the Ukraine. SLAVKO was to arrive
in Munich before the Christmas holidays, when everyone had plenty of
food and liquor and was full of good will to the world. After two months,
he was to meet LEVINETS in Prague on 9 March 1947 and discuss in detail
his future activities, including expenses, assistance in Munich, and
communications with Prague.

> Field Comment: The selection of Prague as a meeting place is
> quite in line with HSC-55 (MGH-835), where the First Section of
> the First Directorate, MGB Ukrainian SSR, is reported to be in
> charge of intelligence operations in Czechoslovakia, and with
> HSC-22 (MGH-636) and HSC-57 (MGH-837), in which First Section
> operations in Czechoslovakia by LEVINETS' chief, KULAGIN, are
> described.

4. Before leaving Kiev, SLAVKO was given two cover stories
("legenda") to use in Munich.

a. Cover Story 1 (for chance acquaintances): "I am a member
of UPA who escaped from the Ukraine. In a skirmish in the vicinity of
Drohobycz between us and MVD troops, I was heavily wounded but managed
to escape. A patriotic farmer nursed me to health, and when I was able
to travel, I came to Germany." To validate this story, SLAVKO was taken
to a farm near Drohobycz, introduced to the owner, and left there a few
days to familiarize himself with the place.

b. Cover Story 2 (for friends): "As you know, I am a member of
the UPA. Once we were caught unaware and had to fight a large contingent
of MVD troops near Drohobycz. Most of our groups were killed; others
were wounded and taken prisoner, as I was. I was very heavily wounded,
and the only reason the MVD did not finish me off was that they mistook
me for one of my friends who was killed, a man not quite so well known
for his fight against the MVD. It turned out that the MVD thought I
could be bribed to work for them. Anyway, they took me to Drohobycz to
a hospital, and when I was cured, MGB in Drohobycz took over my case.
When they thought I was converted to their side, they gave me a mission
to come to Munich and report on what Ukrainians in the American Zone
were doing. Of course I had to accept their proposal, and, of course,
now that I'm here, I don't intend to follow their instructions. I am a
free man again and a Ukrainian nationalist." To give credence to this
story, SLAVKO was introduced to all the officials in MGB Drohobycz.
LEVINETS told him that he could relate to his Ukrainian friends in
Munich whatever he learned in Drohobycz.

Field Comment: The information acquired by SLAVKO in Drohobycz was recorded in MSC-421 (MGH-699).

5.   Fortified with these two stories and with papers listing him as a student of the Scientific Institute of Kiev, SLAVKO started on his ✓ way to Munich in the middle of December 1946. He crossed the border into Czechoslovakia illegally and thence, also illegally, into Bavaria. He arrived in Munich about the middle of January 1947 (just before Christmas, according to the Eastern calendar) and promptly got in touch with his friend DAEDALUS.

> **Field Comment:** Although DAEDALUS, through SARPEDON, reported SLAVKO's arrival shortly after it occured and explained the nature of his mission (HSC/OPS/9 - MGH-699), he has been unwilling to endanger SLAVKO's security by telling either his name or full details of his history and instructions. So far, the information SLAVKO has given DAEDALUS on MGB organization and personalities in the Ukraine agrees fairly well with the data supplied on the same subjects by an independent source, SAILOR.

This proves again that Ukrainians do not, and never will trust, us, and that's no way of operating

I also reflects our reputation — security-wise!

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